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This study reviews experience and trends in the use of radioisotopes in industry in developing regions.

In the first place it deals with the minimum parameters which must be a feature of such districts so that the use of radioactive material in industry may be economically worthwhile and it goes on to discuss the conditions necessary to ensure acceptance by employers of these new tools: spread of possibilities, access to information, training of staff, availability of advice, minimum instrumental equipment, assured supply of radioactive material and concrete presentation of results.

The second part of the paper is devoted to explaining the process accomplished in the Argentine Republic. The activities and prospects for the immediate future are enumerated together with a description of the operations carried out.

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